ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An information processing apparatus which controls a peripheral device in accordance with set values in a device driver, comprising, a memory for

5   holding plural conflict resolution rules to avoid a conflict among the set values in said device driver; and a processor to, in accordance with said plural conflict resolution rules read from said memory, control a status of a corresponding set value, wherein

10   at least one of said plural conflict resolution rules includes information on application priority over other conflict resolution rules.